

Edgefield Advertiser.

BY SIMKINS, DUNN & CO.

By Request.

From the Southern Guardian.

Mr. Editor: I would thank you for the use of your columns for the purpose of reviewing briefly the financial scheme proposed by Mr. Gregg in a letter addressed by him to Mr. McManis, and also for the purpose of suggesting a plan for absorbing the redundant currency. The essence of Mr. Gregg's proposition is contained in the following sentence: "And secondly, the levy of a tax or forced loan of 25 per cent, or as much more as may be needed, upon the property of the country."

Such a tax or forced loan would, in my judgment, necessitate the sale of a very large amount of property. The wealthy planter would be required to part with a portion, perhaps, of his ancestral estate; the farmer of moderate means and fewer pretensions, would be called on to divide his snug little farm, to add to and to shape which has been the work of years, and the ambition of a life; but the poor man, whatever may be his occupation, whose property is not divisible, would be forced to sell his very heart's stone, and his family would be turned adrift, homeless, and without shelter, and who, at last, pinched by want, may be driven to the pitiable extremity of begging alms, perhaps at the door of the rich manufacturer. Such results, I verily believe, would follow the adoption by Congress of Mr. Gregg's scheme. But who are to be the purchasers? Are we to import from Europe and Yankee land, capitalists who will bring with them bags of gold and buy up our depreciated currency, and then resell in land and negroes? Such men would not be allowed to come within our borders. Then again, I ask who are to be the purchasers? I emphatically and without hesitation, answer the manufacturer, the blockade runner, and the general speculator, men who have accumulated princely wealth out of the pending war, and who are now, as they have been for months past, ransacking, either in person or through their agents, the whole country, for the purpose of finding out profitable and safe investments for their immense gains.

But Mr. Gregg seems not to have anticipated such results, for he tells us: "I believe there are few men of property who could not raise the money to pay the tax, having bonds to hypothecate." Having bonds to hypothecate? What bonds? Does he mean Confederate or individual bonds? What class is there in the community that have bonds of any kind? The planters, as a class of producers, certainly have no bonds, which I will not doubt, for heintains us as follows: "Our planters possess the wealth and intelligence of the country and rule its destiny. Indebted as they were at the commencement of the war, they were not in a situation to invest in bonds. It is not reasonable to expect them, then, to volunteer to invest in bonds at the expense of incurring new debts or the necessity of selling property. Many very many planters who subscribed to the Cotton Loan, sold the bonds immediately, and invested the proceeds in the payment of debts on land and negroes." Hence the planter, being in debt and having no bonds to hypothecate, in order to meet this "tax or forced loan," will be compelled either to sell or hypothecate his property to the lordly capitalists of this war. But Mr. Gregg has fallen upon an expedient which he assures us will carry himself and the tax payers safely through our difficulties. "But it would not be necessary to require cash from individuals. A tax note would be taken. This tax note, having a prior lien over all other debts, and in addition having the land collateral attached, would command the money anywhere." By such means the Government could not doubt raise any conceivable sum of money, and by such means would—at the expense, however, of the agricultural interests—afford the very best security for capital, and the capitalists would no longer be annoyed by having investments in the pursuit of good investments for their capital, but suddenly move to a consuming passion and violently bid impel them to invest in Government stock. But can it be possible that Mr. Gregg, in a letter written at the instance, and by the invitation of a public functionary, and in reference to a subject acknowledged by all to be of vital importance, has deliberately proposed a scheme by which his own interest will be certainly and conspicuously enhanced, while that of the mass of the people will be as certainly materially damaged? Let us rather suppose that, when he was penning that letter, a film had obscured his mental vision, and that his brain was fatigued and confused by reason of the great toll incident to the counting up the gains of a day. But the time has come, oh! my countrymen, when it behooves us, one and all, earnestly and in loud tones to petition Heaven to save us from financial financiers. In regard to Mr. Gregg's suggestion to pay off the whole debt by means of five cents per cent, I would say that I will not say that I regard it as the entering wedge of a soured scheme to fasten upon the people of the Confederacy in time of war a protective policy of discriminating, burdensome and odious as that monster system of the old United States which those eminent statesmen, Calhoun, McDuffie, and their co-conspirators, for so long a time endeavored to overthrow.

I will now proceed to indicate a plan by which the redundant currency may be speedily and equitably absorbed. Let Congress enact a law requiring every corporation, company or individual, from a blockade runner down to a chicken dealer, to vest in Confederate bonds bearing a rate of interest not greater than six per centum, three fourths of all profits made respectively from the first day of Jan., 1862, to the thirty-first day of December, 1863. I will enumerate some of the advantages derivable from this scheme.

A great deal of the currency would be certainly and speedily absorbed, and thereby speculation will be promptly checked. The debt of the Confederacy will be established on the most satisfactory basis, for nearly every man in the Confederacy will be either directly or indirectly palpably interested in the public debt. Repudiation would be impossible; or if possible and resolved on by the authorities, then the loss resulting therefrom would be distributed equally or nearly so among the tax payers. The burden, if it should be so regarded, would fall on those who are most able to bear it, and upon whose shoulders it is most proper it should be settled. I would further propose that a law, in addition to such tax act as may be thought necessary, be passed to act prospectively, which shall require all persons who sell anything—whatever at a higher price than that fixed by Government, to pay such excess, as a tax, into the public treasury. But in order that every class of producers may get a fair equivalent for its labor, and for the purpose of preventing injurious discriminations between different kinds and between the same kind of labor applied in different localities, in a word, to do justice to all, let Congress create a board of Commissioners whose duty it shall be to revise, and if necessary, alter the prices established by the Commissioners for the States respectively. I know very well that it would be difficult to enforce such a law throughout all the ramifications of trade, but I think it could be made to act at least as a check even upon the chicken-dealer. I am quite certain that it would operate successfully against the higher branches of trade and the produce of the farm.

The currency must be absorbed or repudiation will become a necessity, and currency will be repudiated before bonds. The currency can be absorbed in only one of two ways—either by taxation or a system of fund raising. Direct taxation is the fairest and most just way; but under all the circumstances it would be best to adopt the funding system. Funding may be accomplished either by capitalists voluntarily coming forward and investing their capital in Government bonds, or by being forced to do so by law. The time for volunteering to do anything has passed. I therefore have no hesitancy to recommend a forced loan.

AN AFFAIR OF HONOR.—We hear that a hostile meeting took place Wednesday afternoon at the Sand Bar Ferry, on Carolina shore, between Mr. C. A. Red of this city, and Mr. Richard Copeland, of Maryland, resulting in the death of the latter. The parties fought with Colt's repeaters, to fire at the world; and to advance and fire at the world's first shot. Neither party, however, availed himself of this privilege, but each kept his original position. Copeland was struck at the upper end of the breast bone, and passing out under the left arm. We are told it was a fair stand up fight both parties evincing great coolness. Mr. C. fired two shots and exploded one cap after being struck. He expired in a few minutes after he fell. Mr. Red's first ball passed through his opponent's hat. We do not know the origin of the difficulty. There were about seventy spectators of the scene.—Chronicle & Sentinel, 29th.

The Richmond Examiner says that Commissioner Robert Oulff returned on Saturday, Oct. 24, from an interview with the Yankee Commissioner Meredith, who gave our Commissioner to understand that he had no power to negotiate for any further exchanges; that Secretary Stanton had been opposed to any exchange of prisoners during the war and that his policy had come to be the policy of his Government. Commissioner Oulff enquired why he (Meredith) had not answered his last correspondence, and Meredith replied that he had sent the letter to his Government for its action. The interview here ended, and it is probable it will be the last, unless the desire for its renewal comes from the other side. The Confederate Government now holds prisoners equal in number and rank to the Yankee Government. Stanton's plan for his policy of no exchange is that our armies are recruited by the exchanged prisoners, and his idea is, that by catching them all, at various times, and holding them, the armies of General Lee and Bragg will become "small by degrees and beautifully less." A good Yankee idea, truly.

The Federal Surgeon who witnessed the execution of Dr. Wright, of Norfolk, says that he died with heroic firmness. The execution was public, the scaffold having been erected near the Fair Grounds, in the suburbs of the city. But a few days previous to his execution there was occasion to remove him from the jail to the Custom House, where the mock trial which unrighteously condemned him to death was held. He was carried through the streets in iron, but this ignominious treatment did not subdue his spirit, nor did it lower him in the esteem of his fellow-citizens. He moved with a firm tread and noble bearing, and every man that met lifted his hat in token of respect.

The Prince of Wales is tolerably comfortable for a young man just commencing the world. One million dollars of the accumulation of his Cornwell estate has been paid for an estate in Norfolk; two millions remain as a balance with his banker, and he has besides an income of \$125,000 a year from his landed property, with \$500,000 voted by Parliament while his mother lived, and \$250,000 pin money for his—

A valuable Residence FOR SALE.

OFFER FOR SALE THAT BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE AND PLANTATION whereon the Hon. Arthur Simkins resided at the time of his death, containing One Hundred Forty Acres, and within the corporate limits of Edgefield Village. This is certainly a very desirable residence, being located in a retired but convenient situation, and has all necessary buildings attached, new and in good repair, with a beautiful grove of oak encircling the premises. The dwelling has six large rooms, well ventilated, and a large basement story. About twenty acres of this tract are well wooded and will furnish fire-wood for the place for many years. About Thirty Acres are choice bottom land highly productive, with an admirable pasturage for a limited number of cattle. The remainder of the tract is good up-land in a fine state of cultivation. If not sold at private sale, before said day in December next, I will sell the said place at Edgefield C. H., on that day to the highest bidder. JAMES ARMSTRONG, Agent. For H. W. ADAMS.

Land for Sale.

I WILL proceed to sell at my residence on the 25th October, 1863, my TRACT OF LAND containing One hundred and twenty-five acres. Also, other property not necessary to mention. JAS. F. PETERSON.

For Soldiers Families.

I WANT to buy for Soldiers Families in this vicinity, ONE HUNDRED RUSHEL MEAL, SYRUP, BACON, FLOUR, LARD, WOOD, &c. Money has been placed in my hands by the patriotic and kind-hearted for the purpose of purchasing supplies for Soldiers Families, and I will pay the highest market price for any of the above mentioned articles delivered at the Room adjoining the Advertiser Office. W. F. DUNN.

Lost

ON Sunday last, a Gold BREAD PIN, diamond shaped, a ruby in the centre surrounded with pearls. A liberal reward will be paid to the finder, upon the delivery of the Pin at the Advertiser Office. W. F. DUNN.

To Hire,

A LIKELY YOUNG GIRL, nearly grown. Apply at this Office. W. F. DUNN.

Cards! Cards!

250 PAIR of the best quality of No. 40 Cotton Cards ever offered in this market, for sale by S. E. BOWERS, Agent. Hamburg, Aug. 24.

ENVELOPES.

WE have new on hand a good supply of ENVELOPES. Enquire at this Office. Price ranging from 75 cts. to \$1.25 per pack. Sept. 23.

Wanted,

AN OVERSEER'S PLACE, by one who has had several years experience, and is free of description. Address the undersigned at Richardsonville, S. C. M. W. T.

Estray Notice.

TOLLDON by Mr. R. J. Butler, one BAY HORSE, Oct. 27. R. L. GENTRY, Agent. Hamburg, Oct. 27.

Rags Wanted.

WE want COTTON AND LINEN RAGS can be sold for cash at the Advertiser Office. Aug. 27.

Head-Quarters.

ENROLLING OFFICER. Enrollers, Oct. 20, 1863. IN compliance with orders received from the U. S. Department of the Interior, the undersigned, all men who have been exempted by Substitution, or who now hold such papers, are ordered to report forthwith at these Head-Quarters. To assist, as far as possible, in the desired result, all subordinate Officers, are directed to forward to this Office, without delay, every substitute paper presented to them. III. The parties furnishing the papers will be furnished certificates by the Enrolling Officer, bearing on their face the fact that such papers have been taken from them, and for what purpose. IV. It is not intended to interfere violently with any principal whose discharge has been recognized as valid, but an examination of the papers is absolutely necessary for the formation of an intelligent and correct opinion concerning the extent of the frauds, and for the detection of the parties engaged therein. F. M. SCHIRMER, Lieut. and Chief E. O. Oct. 21.

OFFICE OF A. C. S. DIVISION No. 4.

ST. MATTHEWS, Oct. 1st, 1863. CAPTAIN WILLIAM WATSON, Junior, is hereby appointed an Agent for this Department for a portion of Edgefield District. His Line will extend from Mr. Joel Rigdell's on the Columbia Road, to Chappell's Depot on Greenville & Columbia Railroad, extending Ninety Six Depot (inclusive) from thence to Perry's Ferry on the Savannah River, (via Liberty Hill); from thence down the Savannah River to Hamburg; from thence down the South Carolina Railroad to the Barnwell Line; from thence the District line between Edgefield, Barnwell and Lexington as far as Mr. Rigdell's. He is authorized to purchase subsistence supplies for this Department, and also when necessary to seize the property held by those who refuse to sell to the Government. He is authorized to receive and receipt for the portion of the Tax in kind consisting of Wheat, Buckwheat, Molasses, Ground Peas, Bacon, and Potatoes. JOHN F. RILEY, Capt. & A. C. S.

OFFICE PURCHASING AGT SUBSISTENCE

Edgefield District, Edgefield S. C., Oct. 21. BY virtue of my appointment as Purchasing Agent and Impressing Agent in the Subsistence Department C. S. Army, for a portion of this District, I respectfully beg leave to say to the Farmers included in my portion of the District that I am ready to receive and receipt for their portion of the Tax in kind and the Confederate States, at either rate of Store-Room, at Edgefield C. H., Ninety-Six Depot, Hamburg, or at Ridge P. O. While I shall endeavor, in the discharge of my delicate duty, to avoid any apparent, or real interference with the rights of all persons, nevertheless I will first and foremost proceed to impress all Subsistence Stores that may be held by parties in speculation. And I hereby warn all such to desist from purchasing supplies above the rates fixed in the Schedule of the Impressing Commissioners for South Carolina. All the surplus produce of the country will be required for the successful prosecution of the war, and I earnestly appeal to the citizens of the District, to come promptly to the support of the Government. We feel assured that, upon proper reflection, any one must feel that it is better to sell to the Government at a fair equivalent than to the speculator at any price. This is the most trying hour with us and we certainly will not longer aid and abet the speculator in bringing ruin upon ourselves. Persons having Subsistence Stores for sale will be rendering a service to the country by promptly offering the same to me at Edgefield C. H. All good citizens are respectfully requested to report to me any one known to them who is holding in speculation, or otherwise, the property of the Government. Any communication of the kind addressed to me at Ridge P. O., will be confidentially received and immediately attended to. T. WATSON, Jr., Purchasing Agent Edgefield Dist. Oct. 21.

OFFICE OF A. C. S. DIVISION No. 4.

ST. MATTHEWS, Oct. 1st, 1863. I take charge of the Store-Room at Edgefield C. H., and am authorized to receive and receipt for the Tax in kind consisting of Wheat, Buckwheat, Sugar, Rice, Molasses, Beans, Peas, Groundpeas and Bacon. Capt. & A. C. S. Division No. 4. Oct. 21.

SLAVE LABOR DIVISION NO. 3.

THE Commissioners of the Roads and the Town authorities within the judicial Districts of Fairfield, Orangeburg, Lexington, Edgefield, Barnwell, and Richland, are requested to cause all persons having possession of colored laboring men, within the limits of their authority, to deliver one fourth of their slaves liable to such duty at the Depots nearest the owner's residence, on MONDAY, 16th November next, at 10 o'clock a. m., there to await transportation to Charleston for thirty days' labor on the fortifications. H. The aggregate of the calls made on this Division, including the present call, is four months' labor of one-fourth of all the Road hands. In pursuance of the terms of the Act, then, the Commissioners and Town authorities are only required to deliver one fourth of the labor at the depot, when added to that already furnished, make up such owner's quota, i. e., one-fourth of their Road hands for four months. III. Labor contributed in advance under this call will be credited on future calls. IV. Owners are requested to furnish their slaves with supplies of shoes and rations to last them to Charleston. V. The agents sent to receive the negroes are prohibited from furnishing substitutes, and the Commissioners, &c., are requested not to recognize receipts given by them for such purposes. W. M. SHANNON, Agent at the Station S. C. Camden, S. C., Oct. 12th, 1863. My Agency Officer and all papers in the Division publish once a week for four weeks. Oct. 21.

Commissioner's Notice.

BY order of Wm. M. Shannon, State Agent, all persons in Edgefield District in possession of slaves liable to be impressed, are hereby summoned to deliver One-Fourth of their Slaves liable to such duty at the Depots nearest the owners residence, on Monday the 16th day of November next, at 10 o'clock A. M., there to await transportation to Charleston for thirty days labor on the fortifications. Owners are requested to furnish their slaves with supplies of shoes and rations to last them to Charleston. Commissioners are requested not to recognize receipts given by agents, or substitutes. The aggregate of the calls made on this District, including the present call, will make one month's labor of all Road hands. The fine is increased to \$200 to be recovered by the State. Commissioners are requested to make returns, on Oath, of all defaulters to a Magistrate, who is required to issue a Warrant for the recovery of the fine, returnable to Court. By an Act of the Legislature, passed at the last Session, Free Persons of Color are required to be the quota of work on the fortifications, but are allowed to hire substitutes to work in their stead. Given under my hand this 15th day of October 1863. GEO. B. MILLS, Chairman, Gen'l. H'd Commrs. R'd E. D. A. Jones, Sec'y. N. B.—A Commissioner will be at Aiken, S. C., by 10 o'clock A. M., on the 15th of November, to hear next to delivery of the Road hands to the Agent, for the Upper Battalion of the 7th Regiment. A. JONES, Chair. Board. Oct. 21.

Burial Cases!

I keep constantly on hand a full stock of Walnut and Mahogany COFFINS, which, from and after this date, will be sold for CASH, and at prices as reasonable as the market will admit of. The use of the HEARSE will be charged for according to the same rate. JOHN M. WITT. Edgefield, S. C., Oct. 19, 1863.

Stolen

ON the night of the 8th inst., from the Stable of Dr. J. E. Mose, one mile from this place, a small light BAY HORSE, seven or eight years of age. I will give a liberal reward of one hundred dollars for the recovery of the horse and the delivery of the horse. J. B. GRIFFIN. Oct. 21.

Tax Collector's Notice.

I WILL attend at the following times and places to collect the Taxes as recently returned to Assessor Dean, to wit: Monday, 2d Nov'r. Tuesday, 3d " Wednesday, 4th " Thursday, 5th " Friday, 6th " Saturday, 7th " Monday, 9th " Tuesday, 10th " Wednesday, 11th " Thursday, 12th " Friday, 13th " Saturday, 14th " Monday, 16th " Tuesday, 17th " Capt. Dean will attend with me to receive the report of sales, &c., for the quarter ending 1st October, 1863, and to receive the returns of so much of the crops as have been gathered at that time. Taxpayers are urged to promptness in paying the Taxes, as the Books for the present year must then close. H. T. WRIGHT, 13th Col. Dist. P. S. Those who desire to pay their Taxes either with the Bureau or Hoyer & Ludwig money can do so by endorsing their name on the bill, legally penning on the back of the bill. This they will do at home to save time. Sept. 29.

Tax Collector's Notice.

I WILL attend at the following times and places to collect the Tax on property, credits, &c., as follows: J. S. Surly's, Monday, 2d Nov'r. J. S. Surly's, Tuesday, 3d " J. S. Surly's, Wednesday, 4th " J. S. Surly's, Thursday, 5th " J. S. Surly's, Friday, 6th " J. S. Surly's, Saturday, 7th " J. S. Surly's, Monday, 9th " J. S. Surly's, Tuesday, 10th " J. S. Surly's, Wednesday, 11th " J. S. Surly's, Thursday, 12th " J. S. Surly's, Friday, 13th " J. S. Surly's, Saturday, 14th " J. S. Surly's, Monday, 16th " J. S. Surly's, Tuesday, 17th " J. S. Surly's, Wednesday, 18th " J. S. Surly's, Thursday, 19th " J. S. Surly's, Friday, 20th " J. S. Surly's, Saturday, 21st " J. S. Surly's, Monday, 23d " At the same times and places I will collect from Registered Tax Payers the Tax on amount of gross sales from 1st July to 1st Oct. I will be required to make my return the last of November. Therefore Tax Payers are respectfully requested to meet me at my appointments, and pay up punctually. Persons wishing to appeal from assessment of Assessor, can do so between the 15th of October and 1st Nov. C. M. MAY, 13th Dist. Col. Oct. 7.

Assessor's Notice.

I WILL attend with Mr. May, the Collector, at the time and place mentioned by him, to receive Returns, and make Assessments, on already made of the "Tax in Kind." Also, take the quarterly Returns of the amount of gross sales of registered tax for the quarter ending 30th Sept. Every person who, as Trustee, Guardian, Tutor, Curator, Commissioner, Executor or Administrator, or as Agent, Attorney in fact, or factor, of any person or persons, who have failed to make returns to me, are hereby notified that they will have an opportunity of doing so by meeting me at my appointments. They are held, however, for all taxes due from the Estate, income money, or property in their possession, or under their control, and if they should fail to avail themselves of the present opportunity, the penalty of the law will be strictly enforced in every instance. At the same time I will make an estimate, as the law directs, of all "next Cattle, Horses and Mules, not used in cultivation, and Asses owned by each person." Planters and Farmers will take due notice thereof, and govern themselves accordingly. R. C. GRIFFIN, Assessor 13th Col. Dist. Oct. 7.

State of South Carolina,

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT, IN EQUITY. M. E. Simkins, vs. Emma Simkins, et al. BY virtue of an order of the Court in this case, the Creditors of the Hon. Arthur Simkins, both "next and otherwise," are required to establish their Claims before the Commissioner by the first day of May next. Z. W. CARWILE, C. E. D. Comm'r. Office, Oct. 20, 1863. 2842

Tea! Tea!

I HAVE and quality, for sale by E. PENN, Agent. Sept 15. 37

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of Dr. J. H. Burdett, dec'd., are notified to present them, properly attested, as the undersigned is prepared to pay the same. Those indebted to said Estate are requested to settle with me by the first day of May next. W. M. BURT, Ex'r. Jan 21.

KNITTING COTTON ON BALLS.

A PENN supply just received by E. PENN, Agent. Aug 11. 32

Copperas.

ENGLISH REFINED COPPERAS just received and for sale by J. A. GURLEY. Hamburg, Oct. 13. 41

Fine Tobacco and Segars.

JUST received a fine supply of choice Gleaning TOBACCO, Smoking TOBACCO, SEGARS, PIPES, MATCHES, &c. J. A. GURLEY. Hamburg, Oct. 12. 41

Shoe Pegs—Shoe Thread.

JUST received a supply of SHOE THREAD, PEGS, TACKS, &c. Also, a good assortment of NEEDLES. J. A. GURLEY. Hamburg, Oct. 13. 41

Wanted.

I WILL pay the highest market price for twelve hundred (1200) bushels of good CORN—seven hundred to be delivered at the place I bought of James Murrell, Esq., and five hundred to me in the Village. A. Q. TEAGUE. Oct. 13.

Iron.

PLANTATION IRON for sale by S. E. BOWERS, Agent. Hamburg, Sept. 22. 38

Final Settlement.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of John B. Gwaltney, dec'd., are requested to make payment as early as possible. Those having claims against the Estate will present them, properly attested, to Dr. A. G. Teague, my authorized agent, on or before the 15th December next, as a final settlement of said Estate will be made in the Ordinary's Office on that day. LUCY GWALTNEY, Ex'r. Oct. 21.

Notice to Bridge Builders

WILL be let to the lowest bidder on Saturday the 14th November next, the BUILDING OF TWO BRIDGES over Horn's Creek, the upper one on the Martinville Road near Republican Church; the lower one about three miles below and near Mr. McKie's Mill. The upper will be let at 11 o'clock, A. M., the lower one at 1 o'clock P. M. Any substantial timber will be received, and the builder held responsible for five years. The work to be commenced forthwith. W. F. PRESICOTT, Com. Oct. 26.

Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of James Dean, dec'd., are requested to present them to me between this and the first of December, as I wish to close the Estate, and the Estate will not be responsible for them after that date. RANSOM TIMMERMAN, Ex'r. Oct. 27.

Administrator's Sale!

BY virtue of an Order from Wm. F. Durison, Ordinary of Edgefield District, we will proceed to sell at the late residence of WILLIAM TONEY, dec'd., on THURSDAY, the 12th day of November next, all the Personal Estate, of said deceased, consisting of: SEVEN LIKELY NEGROES, TWO MULES, THREE HORSES, A FINE LOT OF FAT AND STOCK HOGS, ABOUT THIRTY CATTLE, ONE YOKED OXEN, ABOUT THIRTY SHEEP, TWELVE GOATS, 900 Bushels CORN, FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS FODDER, LOT OF WHEAT AND RYE, PEAS, PEA-VINES AND SHUCKS, 200 or 300 Bushels Sweet Potatoes, About 1000 Pounds Seed Cotton, ONE CARRIAGE AND HARNESS, Two Buggies and Harness, One Four Horse Wagon, One one Horse Wagon, One Ox Cart, About 3000 feet Poplar Plank and Lumber, One Silver Watch, Plantation and Blacksmith Tools, Household and Kitchen Furniture, &c., &c. TERMS.—All sums of and under \$10 Cash; over that amount on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale. Purchasers to give Note with two approved securities. HARRIET TONEY, GEO. J. TONEY, Administrators. Oct. 21.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

BY virtue of an order from W. F. Durison, Ordinary for Edgefield District, we will proceed to sell at the late residence of D. P. SELE, dec'd., on TUESDAY, the 1st day of Dec. next, THREE TRACTS OF LAND, which belonged to the deceased at the time of his death, viz: THE HOMESTEAD adjoining lands of Dr. Joseph H. Jennings, George Banks and others, containing Three Hundred Acres, more or less. THE FIFTH TRACT adjoining lands of Jefferson Surkey, Mrs. Holloway and others, containing One Hundred and Fifty Acres, more or less. THE BROWN TRACT adjoining lands of John Dean, John Brown and others, containing Three Hundred Acres, more or less. Also, all the personal Estate of said deceased, consisting of: Forty-one Likely Negroes, FIFTEEN HEAD OF MULES AND HORSES, STOCK OF CATTLE AND SHEEP, FAT AND STOCK HOGS, LOT OF WHEAT AND OATS, CORN AND FODDER, ONE LOT OF COTTON, Two Wagons, one Ox Cart, Buggy and Harness, Blacksmith and Plantation Tools, And many other articles too tedious to mention. TERMS.—All sums of and under Twenty Dollars cash, and all sums above Twenty on a credit of twelve months with interest from day of sale. S. S. FREEMAN, Ex'r. Oct. 25.

Administrators' Sale.

IN pursuance of an order from W. F. Durison, Ordinary of Edgefield District, we will sell at the late residence of E. A. McDONALD, dec'd., on TUESDAY, the 17th Nov. next, all the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting of: EIGHTEEN NEGROES, FIVE MULES, TWO MARES, CATTLE, SHEEP, STOCK AND PAT HOGS, EIGHT HUNDRED BUSHELS CORN, ABOUT FOUR BALES COTTON, WHEAT, OATS, PEAS, SHUCKS, One Buggy and Harness, One Four Horse Wagon, and other articles too tedious to mention. Household and Kitchen Furniture, Blacksmith and Plantation Tools, &c., &c. TERMS.—Sums under \$10 Cash;—over that amount on a credit of twelve months with interest from day of sale. Purchasers to give Note with good securities. ARTHUR HOLSON, B. F. GLENNON, Administrators. Oct. 27.

State of South Carolina,

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT, IN EQUITY. Sarah A. Burnside, vs. Lewis Jones, Adm'r. et al. BY virtue of an order of the Court in this case, I will proceed to sell on the premises, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of November next, the Real Estate described in the pleading, viz: ONE TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, whereon the late Andrew Burnside resided at the time of his death, containing One hundred and thirty-seven (137) acres, more or less, having thereon a commodious TWO STORY HOUSE, and all necessary appurtenances, and a fine young Orchard of choice Fruit Trees. This is undoubtedly one of the most pleasant and comfortable homes in the up-country, and is situated only one mile and a half from the Town of Hamburg and city of Augusta. Gen. M. C. M. Hammond occupied this Real Estate for many years, and the premises are to any one desirous of purchasing. Also, ONE HOUSE AND LOT in the Town of Hamburg, containing One Half Acre, more or less, bounded on front by Centre Street, North by S. Attaway's Lot, S. by Mrs. Dewley's lot, &c., at present occupied by John Shindall. TERMS.—Sold on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale, except costs of suit which must be in cash. (The purchaser having the privilege of paying the whole amount in cash if so desired. Purchasers will be required to give Bonds with at least two good sureties to secure the purchase money. Titles to be paid for extra. Possession given on the 1st day of Jan'y next. C. M. MAY, C. E. D. Comm'r. Office, Oct. 12. 441

State of South Carolina,

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